



## POSTGRADUATE YEAR ONE (PGY1) PHARMACY RESIDENCY

### GENERAL INFORMATION

Iowa City Veterans Affairs Healthcare System (ICVAHCS) offers four, ASHP-accredited, Postgraduate Year One (PGY1) pharmacy residency positions. The residency program is coordinated by Nancee Waterbury, PharmD, BCACP

**Purpose Statement:** The ICVAHCS PGY 1-Pharmacy residency program prepares graduates to assume general clinical pharmacist positions in the inpatient and ambulatory care setting, to serve as adjunct faculty for a college of pharmacy, to pursue board certification and to be eligible for PGY-2 residency training. The ICVAHCS is a teaching hospital providing the unique opportunity for our residents to engage in direct patient care, practice management and medication related education.

**Program Description:** Residents will gain valuable clinical experience in the ambulatory care and inpatient setting. Besides clinical activities, residents are appointed adjunct faculty status at the University of Iowa College of Pharmacy and will participate in precepting/teaching pharmacy students. Residents will also participate in patient and staff education, present formal lectures, case discussions and journal clubs, and respond to drug information questions. Residents are required to conduct a research project, present the results, and summarize in a manuscript suitable for publication.

**Required Experiences:** Longitudinal experiences: anticoagulation clinic, college of pharmacy teaching program, formulary management service, primary care clinics, project development and weekend staffing. Rotation experiences: administration and internal medicine

**Elective Clinical Experiences:** Residents will select 2 elective experiences. A variety of opportunities exist including: cardiology/CHF, diabetes/endocrinology, ICU, oncology, pain, psychiatry, surgery, transplant, virology and others.

**Appointment Period:** Twelve months, starting June 27, 2016

**Salary:** \$41,098 per annum.

**Benefits:** Federal Employee health benefits and group life insurance. Up to 13 vacation and 13 sick days, all federal government holidays, continuing education opportunities and partial travel funds.

**Administrative Leave:** Residents are eligible for administrative leave to attend conventions and professional meetings including (but not limited to) the ASHP Midyear Clinical Meeting and Midwest Pharmacy Resident's Conference.